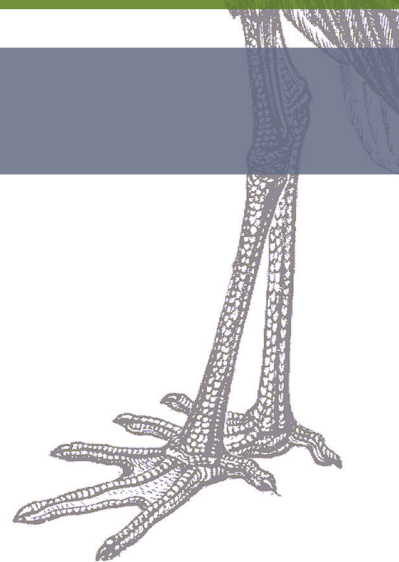


# **NORTH COAST INTEGRATED REGIONAL WATER MANAGEMENT PLAN**

## **Phase III**

**PROPOSITION 84 PLANNING GRANT PROPOSAL, ROUND 1**

**ATTACHMENT 2:  
ELIGIBLE APPLICANT DOCUMENTATION**



**Integrated Regional Water Management Program  
Applicant: Humboldt County**

## **North Coast Integrated Regional Water Management Plan, Phase III Proposition 84 IRWM Planning Grant, Round 1**

### **Attachment 2. Eligible Applicant Documentation**

Below is the eligible applicant documentation for the County of Humboldt. Attachment 1 includes the authorizing documentation from the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors.

1. Is the applicant a local agency as defined in Appendix B of the Guidelines? Please explain.

**Response:** The County of Humboldt, a local agency as defined in Appendix B of the Guidelines, is the Applicant for the North Coast Integrated Regional Water Management Plan, (NCIRWMP), Phase III, Planning Grant application submittal.

2. What is the statutory or other legal authority under which the applicant was formed and is authorized to operate?

**Response:** The County of Humboldt was designated by the NCIRWMP Regional Water Management Group (NCRWMG) to enter into a grant agreement with the State of California and Department of Water Resources (DWR). The NCRWMG is comprised of Humboldt, Siskiyou, Mendocino, Del Norte, Modoc, Trinity and Sonoma counties and Sonoma County Water Agency and Mendocino County Water Agency. The Regional Water Management Group was formed from mutual interest and benefit and by County Board Resolutions: Mendocino County Authorizing Resolution No. 07-151; Humboldt County Authorizing Resolution No. 07-61; Siskiyou County Authorizing Resolution No. 07-128; Sonoma County Authorizing Resolution No. 07-625; Del Norte County Authorizing Resolution No. 2007-048; Modoc County Authorizing Resolution No. 07-32 and Trinity County Authorizing Resolution No. 07-79.

3. Does the applicant have legal authority to enter into a grant agreement with the State of California?

**Response:** The County of Humboldt has legal standing to enter into contractual relationships with the State of California and DWR. On September 21, 2010 the County of Humboldt Board of Supervisors adopted authorizing Resolution No. 10-65 giving explicit authority to submit the NCIRWM Planning Grant application and enter into and implement the grant agreement on behalf of the NCRWMG.

4. Describe any legal agreements among partner agencies and/or organizations that ensure performance of the proposal and tracking of funds.

**Response:** If the State awards a planning grant to the NCIRWMP, the NCRWM Group will negotiate subsequent agreement with the County of Humboldt with participating entities for administration of the grant to ensure performance of the proposal and tracking of funds. All work conducted under the grant agreement with partner agencies and organizations will be executed by contract with the County of Humboldt. Contract agreements with partner agencies will include DWR required provisions and will be consistent with the grant agreement.